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	While words seems inadequate at this time, I do want to extend to you my deepest sympathy in the loss of your son. His dedication to his country led to the ultimate sacrifice his life. We are all very proud of and the excellence with which he served. youthful enthusiasm, easy going manner, and quick smile endeared him to his colleagues and friends within the Agency, yet he took a true professional approach to the task at hand and was doing an outstanding job. I hope you will derive some comfort in knowing that he served his country and the Agency well. If we may be of any service, please feel free to let me know.	STAT STAT
	Sincerely, William J. Casey Director of Central Intelligence	STAT
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